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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

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SUBJECT : South China/North Vietnam and Sino-Indian Border
Photographic Reconnaissance, [REDACTED]

REFERENCES : a. USIB-D-41.14/233 (COMOR-D-25/144) Para. 12. b.
5 March 1966, Limited Distribution
b. USIB-D-41.14/288 (COMOR-D-25/212)
17 March 1966, Special Limited Distribution

1. The attached report on the subject by the Chairman, Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance (COMOR), is circulated for the information of the United States Intelligence Board (USIB).

2. It is not contemplated that the attached report will be placed on the USIB agenda unless a USIB Principal so requests prior to the close of business on Friday, 9 September 1966. In the absence of such a request, it will be considered for record purposes that USIB "noted" the subject report on that date.

NGA review(s) completed.

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Executive Secretary

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Remarks:

Attached is the weekly report by the Chairman, COMOR on photographic reconnaissance of South China/North Vietnam and the Sino-Indian border, which is being circulated to the USIB for information.

Unless you or another USIB Principal so requests, the report will not be discussed at a meeting, and will be recorded as having been noted by the Board.

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Report to the United States Intelligence Board
by
Chairman, COMOR
on
South China/North Vietnam and Sino-Indian Border
Photographic Reconnaissance

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1. The following is a report on photographic coverage of:
 - a. 176 priority targets in South China and North Vietnam;
 - b. Targets in Laos adjacent to the South China border;
 - c. Targets in the Sino-Indian border area.

South China/North Vietnam

2. One BLUE SPRINGS and three [Redacted] missions, flown during the reporting period, provided coverage of priority targets in North Vietnam. According to field reporting, the BLUE SPRINGS mission [Redacted] covered 2 priority targets and the [Redacted] missions covered four priority targets.

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3. Tab A shows 90 of the 176 priority targets in South China and North Vietnam on which satisfactory base line/surveillance coverage has been obtained since 1 March 1966. The base line coverage was increased by 18 priority targets as a result of [Redacted] This mission also provided surveillance coverage of 9 priority targets. Included in the totals for [Redacted] are three targets that received both base line and surveillance coverage on subsequent days. [Redacted] mission on [Redacted] provided surveillance coverage of Vinh/Ben Thuy Port Facility.

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4. The number of times each target was satisfactorily covered is shown in Tab A as well as the date of most recent satisfactory coverage since 1 March 1966. This information is provided in order to record the progress in obtaining base line coverage and the frequency in surveillance of the priority targets in South China and North Vietnam.

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5. The map at Tab B shows both high and low resolution coverage reported as acquired on priority targets in South China/North Vietnam since 9 August 1966.

Laos Adjacent to the South China Border

6. None

Sino-Indian Border Area

7. None

8. The map at Tab C shows both high and low resolution coverage of targets in this area obtained since 9 August 1966.

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Acting Chairman

Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance

Attachments:

Tabs A, B, and C

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